

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY PARIS NIACT IMMEDIATE  
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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: PFOR, EEC, XF

SUBJECT: PROPOSED EC STATEMENT ON MIDDLE EAST

REF: STATE 20956 (BEING REPEATED PARIS)

1. FYI. BRITISH EMBASSY INFORMS US IT HAS CONVEYED ON EC-9 NET THE POINTS UNDER SECRETARY HABIB MADE TO UK AMBASSADOR JANUARY 29. BRITISH HAVE REQUESTED WE ALSO CONVEY STRENGTH OF OUR VIEWS ON THIS SUBJECT TO FRENCH PRIOR TO MONDAY'S EC MINISTERIAL MEETING IN LONDON. END FYI.

2. YOU SHOULD URGENTLY CONVEY TO GOF AT HIGHEST APPROPRIATE LEVEL POINTS MADE BY HABIB TO BRITISH AMBASSADOR AND REPORTED REFTEL. YOU SHOULD PUT YOUR APPROACH IN CONTEXT THAT WE  
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HAVE HAD DISCUSSION OF THIS SUBJECT WITH BRITISH AS CURRENT PRESIDENT OF THE NINE BUT WANT TO MAKE OUR VIEWS KNOWN DIRECTLY TO FRENCH AS WELL. IF ASKED, YOU MAY INDICATE WE HAVE ALSO BEEN IN TOUCH WITH GERMANS, BUT SHOULD IF POSSIBLE FINESSE FACT THAT GERMANS PROVIDED US WITH ACTUAL TEXT OF DRAFT EC STATEMENT ON MIDDLE EAST.

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